

## The Herald and News

E. H. AULL, EDITOR.

## NO MORE PLEDGES NEEDED.

One of the most important questions before the State Convention, which meets in Columbia on Wednesday, is the matter of pledges to be required of candidates and voters. Heretofore the only pledge has been that they abide the result of the primary and support the nominees of the Democratic party. This was sufficient. Any white man professing to be a Democrat could participate in the primary, and the sole object of the primary was to maintain the political supremacy of the white man. That pledge is sufficient today. There is no use whatever in requiring a man to pledge himself to the support of a platform adopted several years ago, or any part of that platform. If he goes before the people in the primary and his views do not appear to them to be sound Democratic doctrine, they can so say at the ballot box. It is the right of the people to decide on such matters for themselves. So long as a white man professes to be a Democrat and pledges himself to abide the result of the Democratic primary he should be allowed to enter the primary; and so long as a white man professing to be a Democrat pledges himself to support the nominees of the party he should be allowed to vote. This plan amounts to nothing more nor less than a scheme for the continuance of a white man's government and places the whole responsibility upon the people, where as a matter of right and justice it belongs.

We are glad to note that the attendance at the Charleston Exposition holds up. If it could only have been so for the past several months the Exposition would have been a much greater success financially. For the past several weeks the city of Charleston has been full of visitors to the great show, and they have all enjoyed it very much. The rates have been so low, and living in Charleston so cheap, that there is scarcely any excuse for any one not attending the Exposition. The rates have been cheaper than ever known before. Just think of riding from Newberry to Charleston and return, nearly four hundred miles, for \$2.60. This rate has been on for several weeks and will continue for the balance of the month, tickets on sale on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Every South Carolinian who has not been to this exposition should make haste to go at once. Only two more weeks remain. We are pleased to know that so many of our own Newberry people have taken advantage of this opportunity, but if there are any left they should go at once. The Southern Railway has been giving us a special Newberry coach every Tuesday. We guarantee that every one who will go will be delighted and never regret the time or the money spent.

The big day, however, is to be Wednesday of next week, 22d, known as Wagner Day, so designated in honor of Capt. F. W. Wagner, who is president of the exposition company, and who has been pocketing most of the loss. This should be the banner day of the exposition, and we hope there will be large crowds in attendance from all parts of the State. Souvenir tickets have been placed on sale in advance, and no doubt the attendance will be immense. It should be so.

The railroads have done their part to make the exposition by the low rates they have given, without which the attendance would have been very small. No expositions have ever been financially successful in the sense of making money for the promoters or yielding dividends on the capital invested. But this exposition is bound to do good. At Charleston, the whole State and the entire South. Its benefits will be lasting, and all the people will share in the harvest. There should be rejoicing that it has been as successful financially as it has been.

The argument for and against the county-to-county State campaign still goes on. It is not likely that the opposition to the system will amount to anything, but that the State Convention, next week will continue the same old plan.

However, as we have said all along, we can not see the use in holding a campaign meeting in each county of the State. In fact, we can see no use in candidates for secretary of State, attorney general, comptroller general, treasurer, and such like offices, going into the campaign at all. Their duties are purely ministerial, and it matters not to the people what may be their views on any issue, so that they are honorable white men and capable of discharging the duties of their office. The best plan, it seems to us, and the one which we have before suggested, is to hold one campaign meeting at some central point in each congressional district and consume one, two or three days time, if necessary, giving each candidate a chance to present his merits and his views fully. Under the plan which has been in force only a very few minutes are allowed to each speaker and that short time is usually taken up in showing what he considers the demerits of his opponents. Much of this personal abuse would be done away with by cutting down the number of meetings and giving to each speaker more time.

But if we are to have a campaign meeting in each county, then the plan of two campaign parties, suggested by Senator Tillman at Manning, is the best solution. It is true, that the limitation on the time of the candidates for the important offices, if it be continued, will absolutely destroy all interest in the meetings, and finally

destroy the primary system itself. Some revision of the old plan should be made. We believe limiting the number of the meetings and giving more time to each speaker would accomplish the results desired; but if this is not done, and we do not believe it will be, then we favor two campaign parties, starting on opposite sides of the State, which would give two campaign days in each county.

Even if this is done the daily newspapers will scarcely run two sets of reporters and the speeches and views of the candidates will not get publicity except as it is gotten from the spoken speech.

The primary is all right for it gives the people a right to express their views on public questions and the people a right to say by a majority vote whom they want for the various offices and it takes a majority vote to elect, but we do not want to load it down nor tire the people with it.

The Governor has decided on the three acts passed by the last legislature and which he has been holding up since the adjournment. One was to define the relations between connecting lines of common carriers. After hearing the arguments of those who favored the act and those who opposed it the governor decided to approve it. The main argument presented against the act was that it was unconstitutional. The act was submitted to the attorney general and he gave an opinion which might be construed on the side of the constitutionality of the act and which might be construed as an effort to evade the issue. The other two were an act to abolish the office of phosphate inspector and to devolve the duties of that office on the county auditors and a joint resolution to write off the books of the treasurer the Blue Ridge bonds owned by the old State bank. Both of these the governor will veto.

It strikes us that the city council has made the penalty in the spitting ordinance out of proportion when the penalty in the other ordinances published today is considered. It is a good ordinance, and can be easily enforced. The citizen who expectorates will soon form the habit of missing the sidewalk, but we believe to have made the fine from one to five dollars would have had a better effect. That is the penalty fixed in a similar ordinance in the city of Columbia, and the ordinance is rarely violated.

## BAUGHMAN CHAPEL LEITER.

All the News Around Baughman Chapel and Union Academy Interestingly Told by T. J. W.

Another good season on Sunday night and the crops look quite promising.

The candidates are beginning to pop out as thick as three in a bed. We notice our old friend, L. I. Epling, has entered the race for auditor. He has a host of friends over the country and will be hard to beat.

Mr. J. E. Long of Newberry was on the sick list last week. He came down to his father's on Friday and stayed over till Sunday, returning somewhat improved.

Mr. M. L. Strauss went down to Columbia last week to sell a lot of cotton which he had stored for some time, and from there he went to the exposition at Charleston.

Where is our editor? We thought that he would have announced himself before now as a candidate for Secretary of State. What are you waiting on? The people are expecting such a thing. So pop your whip and let 'em roll.

Mr. T. E. McCullough and sister, Miss Ada, of Whitmore section, paid us a visit last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mahala Werts visited her son, J. W. Werts, in Newberry last week, returning home on Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Livingstone and children, of Newberry, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kinard, returning home on Monday.

Mr. Thomas L. B. Epps reports an egg with two distinct shells, the inner shell which enclosed the yolk of the egg was as thick as an ordinary shell of a hen's egg, and the outer shell enclosing the white was fully as thick and hard as that of an ordinary egg.

Mr. L. O. Griffin, of Newberry, spent last Saturday night with us.

Mr. J. Nolen Epps caught two young owls and put them in a cage near the front yard. The old mother and father owls have been very attentive every night since bringing their children food. This shows that the parental love extends further than the human race.

The Rock Hill Herald gave an account of an April snow which says the snow occurred on Sunday, April 13, 1841. We are informed by Capt. Glenn Metts who says he remembers the snow very well, and that the snow came on Sunday, April 15, 1849, and not in '41, as was stated. We suppose this was perhaps a typographical error.

Mr. Redman Kinard and sister, Miss Ida, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pugh, of Newberry cotton mills, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in this section.

Mr. S. A. Rikard, of Long Lane, visited his brother, B. B. Rikard, last Saturday night.

I want to say to our Long Lane correspondent to write often. We have a host of kin folks and friends in that section, which always makes us anxious to hear from you.

Old Holly Street's still on its feet. With a line of groceries hard to beat. The people say it's Singley's play. And his goods are in his way. It's the economical kitchen grocery store.

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I have often heard that it's a right good plan to measure a man by his own yard stick, and so it is. Mr. William Johnson has out a yard stick representing his general line of hardware, and this yard stick measures fully 36 inches. While Mr. Johnson don't measure out his plows, hoes and all other farming implements by the yard, they are sold you with full 16 ounces to the pound which is on the same principle, and if Christianity means anything at all it means honesty in business transactions.

The young folks had a musical entertainment at Mr. L. I. Feagle's last Saturday night. Mr. Feagle's daughter, who is teaching at Saluda Old Town, was down on a visit to her parents.

Mr. Editor, I have been in favor of a special road tax for a considerable while, and in one or more of my articles I recommended that we take the dispensary profits for this purpose instead of applying them to the public school funds, as so many seemed to dislike the plan of educating the children with liquor profits. But it's a right bad idea to look for any general good to be derived from liquor.

The subject of good roads is a growing issue, and the only way to have good roads is to work them on the contract system. Let the commutation tax stand at one dollar, give us a special levy of one mill, and make it compulsory for every man liable to road duty to pay his commutation tax, and this will give us plenty of money to keep up our roads in apple pie order, without issuing bonds. I am opposed to the issuing of bonds. It's imposing a taxation upon the people of too long standing. Let us hear from some of our candidates who are seeking to become our law-makers on this subject.

Prof. D. A. Quattlebaum, who has been teaching at Delmar, Saluda County, came home about two weeks ago sick from an attack of measles which stopped his school a few weeks earlier than he intended. We are sorry to say he is still in lingering health.

Mr. Jefferson Quattlebaum is also unable to work from the effects of running a thorn in his foot. We sympathize with Mr. Quattlebaum. It is particularly hard on a man to be stopped out of his farm at this time of year.

May 13, 1902 T. J. W.

## Shack Dots.

Mr. J. W. Smith spent last week in Charleston seeing the Exposition.

Mrs. M. L. Kelly visited relatives in Greenwood last week.

Miss Lula Johnson spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Wofford, near Woodruff.

Mr. Elbert Hunter and Miss Hattie Eddy were at Mrs. Rachel Bonds last Saturday night.

The young people had quite a merry time last Saturday at the fishing party down at the bridge. Only two fish were caught, as most of the fishing was done on dry land.

The Tabernacle School will close with a picnic, which will be Saturday May 24th. The picnic will be held in the grove near Mr. J. G. Miller's house. The public is cordially invited to attend.

May 14 1902 Mack.

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## An Ordinance To Prohibit Petit Larceny.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to commit the crime of petit larceny within the limits of the Town of Newberry, S. C.

Sec. 2. Any person who shall violate the provision of the foregoing section of this Ordinance, upon conviction thereof, shall be required to pay a fine of not less than One Dollar nor more than Fifty Dollars, or be required to labor upon the public works of the town or County for a period of not less than Five Days or more than Thirty Days, in the discretion of the Mayor.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, this the 5th day of May, A. D. 1902.

OTTO KLETTNER, Mayor.

Attest: W. S. LANGFORD, C. & T. T. C. N.

## An Ordinance Pertaining to Persons of Notoriously Lewd Character.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for persons of a notorious lewd character to expose themselves in an offensive manner, or to congregate upon the public thoroughfares, or at the depot or other public places in the said town.

Sec. 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of the foregoing section of this Ordinance shall upon conviction, be fined not less than Five Dollars nor more than Fifty Dollars, or imprisoned not less than Ten or more than Thirty Days.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1902.

OTTO KLETTNER, Mayor.

Attest: W. S. LANGFORD, C. & T. T. C. N.

## An Ordinance To Prohibit the Sale of Malt or Spirituous Liquors in the Town of Newberry.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell any spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, in any quantity, within the corporate limits of the Town of Newberry, S. C., except as provided by the State Dispensary Law.

Sec. 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating the foregoing section of this Ordinance shall, on conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than Ten Dollars nor more than Fifty Dollars, or be imprisoned for not less than Ten nor more than Thirty Days for each and every offence.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1902.

OTTO KLETTNER, Mayor.

Attest: W. S. LANGFORD, C. & T. T. C. N.

## An Ordinance Prohibiting the Carrying of Concealed Deadly Weapons

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. Any person carrying a pistol, dirk, dagger, stilet, metal knuckles, razor or other deadly weapons usually used for the infliction of personal injury, concealed about his person within the corporate limits of the Town of Newberry, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sec. 2. Any person or persons upon conviction of violating section one of this Ordinance, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars, or imprisoned at hard labor upon the public works of the Town or County of Newberry, for a period of Thirty Days.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1902.

OTTO KLETTNER, Mayor.

Attest: W. S. LANGFORD, C. & T. T. C. N.

## An Ordinance Relating to Agents of Life and Fire Insurance Agents.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, S. C., in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any non-resident person, firm or corporation engaged in or intending to engage in writing up fire or life insurance policies or soliciting either of such businesses within the limits of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, without first obtaining a license therefor from the clerk of the Town Council of Newberry, in the sum of Ten Dollars, which said license shall be good for Twelve Months from the date thereof, and shall be non-transferable.

Sec. 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provision of this Ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not less than Ten Dollars, or imprisoned or sentenced to labor on the streets of said town or on the public works of Newberry County (including) not less than Ten Days nor more than Thirty Days.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1902.

OTTO KLETTNER, Mayor.

Attest: W. S. LANGFORD, C. & T. T. C. N.

## An Ordinance Prohibiting Spitting Upon the Sidewalks and Other Places.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, who ever shall spit upon the sidewalks of the Town of Newberry, or upon the floor of any public hall, or in any hotel office or other public buildings, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before the Mayor or Town Council, shall be fined in the sum of not exceeding One Hundred Dollars or Thirty Days' imprisonment upon the public works of the Town or County of Newberry.

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